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MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 26, 1907.

**THE WOMEN OF Bayard, Iowa,** have banded themselves together for the purpose of meeting out punishment to all drunkards in that place. Six "drunks" were whitecapped by the women last Saturday and tarred and feathered. This mode of punishment is the outcome in Bayard of a bitter prohibition fight. The ultimatum has been sent broadcast that similar treatment will be the portion of every man who allows himself to become intoxicated. The women have banded together in a law and order league, and more than half of the wives and daughters of the town belong to it. Pickets sighted the drunken men and they were quickly surrounded by a good-sized crowd of veiled women and hustled off to a convenient spot. After summary treatment the men were sent home with a promise of similar punishment if they were found drunk again.

**THE Portland Oregonian** finds solace for the interruption by the strike of business on the wires and cables by reverting to the happy old times before the date of telegraphs. "In the Oregon country," says the Portland newspaper, "we used to live without hearing from the outer world, months at a time, and without caring for it. In 1852 Pierce was elected to the presidency; in 1856, Buchanan. In the course of a few months, on each occasion, Oregon heard of these events; but what did Oregon care? Her people had business enough at home. They had to find their living and keep their scalps on their heads. Life was happier then than it ever has been since." And what is true of life in Oregon is also true in many of the other States.

In consequence of the assault upon Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secretary of State, by an anti-clerical mob at Marino, the pope has sent a note to all representatives of foreign powers at Rome and to the Italian foreign minister, protesting against the lawlessness of the anti-clericals and demanding protection for the church dignitaries. It is the first time since 1870 that such a communication has been sent to the Italian government from the Vatican. By implication it accuses Italy of conniving with the anti-clericals, especially in not prohibiting meetings of socialists. The pope and the cardinals under Italian laws have the same rights as sovereigns and princes of foreign governments.

The government has no business to have a surplus, but as the revenues are greater than even extravagance makes the disbursements the money can far better be deposited in the banks than locked up in the Treasury vaults. At this season of all others the government cannot afford to contract the currency. Secretary Cortelyou has done more than his predecessors have been accustomed to do in this matter, and Congress recently gave him the right they did not have of depositing the customs collections in the banks.

HON. EDWARD W. CARMACK evidently believes that variety adds greatly to the spice of office seeking and office holding. Having served in the House of Representatives and in the Senate, he now proposes to run for governor of Tennessee, and having won the gubernatorial return to the Senate. Mr. Carmack is able, versatile and interesting, and Tennessee may repeat having terminated his senatorial title and give him another chance to employ his undoubted political talents.

ADVICE from St. Petersburg says that the rush of immigrants to Siberia is so great that all the available homestead lots have been exhausted and the authorities are unable to distribute recent arrivals. Many people are under the impression that Siberia is a barren land of ice and snow where political prisoners are sent from Russia to die, but the above will give them a different opinion of that far away country.

### From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

James Carrico and Robert Jenks, who are said by the police to have been in the house at 1235 Half street southeast Washington early yesterday morning, when Mrs. Mary Carrico and her son Joseph were murdered, were arrested later in the day, and are locked up. James Carrico is the son and brother, respectively, of the would-be assassin's victims. Six other men, supposed to have some knowledge of the stabbing or its antecedent circumstances, were also placed under arrest, but two of these were subsequently released. Mrs. Carrico is desperately wounded, and physicians at Providence Hospital, where she was carried, are deeply apprehensive that the stab in her left breast, just below the heart, will result in her death.

It is denied that a protest from Japan has reached here regarding the measures being taken by this government to protect its interests in the sea beds of the Philippines islands from Japanese poachers. Nor is such a protest anticipated. The United States keeps a couple of revenue

cutter cruisers about the sea islands to watch for these depredators and many arrests have been made this summer. The gunboat Buffalo has also been sent to Baring Sea to co-operate with a British gunboat in preventing the catch of seals in the open waters.

When A. H. Plant, Controller of the Southern Railway, went on the stand today in the hearing before the master in the North Carolina-Southern Railway Rate dispute, there was opened up what will probably be a three day cross-examination of the witness as to the cost of the operation of railroads. Speaker Justice began the examination with a series of technical questions, seeking to show that the net income of the road is large. Plant insisted that interstate traffic, particularly freight, is not nearly as expensive as is interstate.

While the modes vivendi to cover the present fishing season off the coast of Newfoundland which has been under negotiation for some months between this country and Great Britain has not yet been signed, The State Department has notified the American fishermen of Gloucester that it will be safe for them to proceed with their fishing as it is believed that the negotiations will soon be brought to a successful conclusion.

Rear Admiral Kibbey D. Evans, in accordance with the programme arranged between him and the Navy Department some time ago, sailed out from Hampton Roads early this morning with his big fleet of battleships for the Southern Drill Grounds of the Virginia capes, to begin maneuvers and battle tactics.

Acting Secretary of the Navy Newberry today returned to this city and at once issued the necessary verbal orders to the various bureau chiefs to make preparations for the departure of the Atlantic battle fleet for the Pacific.

Prince William of Sweden, will be a guest of at luncheon at the President Wednesday.

The Comptroller of the Currency today made a call for a report of the conditions of National Banks at the close of business on Thursday August 22.

No more will those old familiar names of "Jim," "Tom," "Mag," or "Lizzie" be heard at the big Government Printing Office, no matter the person so addressed by these intimate terms be husband, brother, sister or daughter.

Public Printer Stillings has issued an order directing his various under-chief to insist that the workers never again use the plain abbreviated names of fellow-workers while on duty. He has ordered that each name bear the prefix of "Mr." and "Mrs." or "Miss" as the case may be. Old pals in the printing can't see how in the world they are going to obey the order and not a few expect to lose their jobs if the order be rigidly enforced.

**FRICITION AT EXPOSITION.**

Director General Barr of the Jamestown Exposition last night announced the appointment of Charles W. Kohlhaas as director general of ceremonies, to represent the management of the ter centennial in the entertainment of distinguished visitors, a position heretofore held by President Tucker. It is an open secret that the social family of the ter centennial is not a happy one. It is declared that high officials have been slighted on certain occasions when dignitaries were entertained. It is declared that these slight caused the change of President Tucker's friends claim that his duties as director of ceremonies were conferred on him by the board and only that body can revoke his powers. It is believed that he will fight the order of Mr. Barr.

**BLAOK HAND THREAT.**

Intense excitement was created Saturday by the revelation that Right Rev. Frederick Burgess, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Long Island, had been threatened with death by a Black Hand band if he failed to give a large amount of money to the blackmailers. It was divulged that the threat against the Bishop was couched in a letter bearing a skull and crossbones and crossed daggers, and signed "Knights of the Black Hand," the same signature attached to threatening letters recently sent to Rev. Father Sorrentino, pastor of the Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady of Loretto, Brooklyn. Black Hand Knights, it is said, threatened to blow up the episcopal residence if the head of the head of the diocese neglected to forward the money demanded.

**Fire and Explosion.**

New York, Aug. 26.—Repeated explosions, forcing firemen to run for their lives, and spreading panic among a thousand tenement dwellers, gave a serious aspect to a fire in the warehouse of Hagan and Company, on the lower West Side today. After a hard fight the firemen controlled the blaze the loss being estimated at \$10,000. The explosion was caused by the fire reaching a section of the house in which many cans of turpentine and oils were stored.

**News of the Day.**

The work of removing the old fortifications of Paris has begun.

Amel Smith, superintendent of the Senate document room, died Saturday in Washington.

A tornado in Wisconsin Saturday picked up a building and carried it a mile and a half.

Edmond F. Noel, of Lexington, has won the democratic gubernatorial nomination in Mississippi.

A race war is threatened at Seaford, Del., as the result of negroes mortally wounding a county officer yesterday morning.

Andro Roby, who murdered his sweetheart, Bertha Gayle, at Norwalk, Conn., on the night of July 5, has been captured in Hungary.

The value of the land in New York city is computed as worth nearly twice as much as all the real estate and improvements in New York State.

The diamonds owned by Mrs. Leland Stanford, of California, have been sold in London. The proceeds will go to the Leland Stanford, Jr., University.

It is announced in Washington that the congressional committee in charge of Panama Canal expenditures will make personal investigation of conditions on the isthmus.

Two persons were killed and two injured by an explosion in the Carnegie Steel Mill, Pittsburgh, Pa., Saturday, caused by the pouring of cold water on molten metal.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan said at Lincoln, Neb., on Saturday, that the President's plan for federal control of railroads would serve as a protection to them against the States.

Speaker Justice, of the North Carolina legislature figured out in Washington on Saturday that the Southern Railway traffic in North Carolina.

Having refused to accept the proposition of the packers, the striking meat drivers in New York today announced their intention of "completely blocking" the meat business there.

One of the officials of the Chemical National Bank, of New York announced today, that the report that a defalcation had been discovered in the bank was absolutely without foundation.

Private cable advice states that the Arnheimsche Bank of Amsterdam, Holland, has failed. The institution is said to be of no great importance as concerns the general financial situation.

Dr. Seneca D. Powell's death at Greenwich, Conn., yesterday, was said to be due to experiments with carbolic acid before his class at the New York Post-Graduate Medical School.

Dr. Dietz, counsel for Professor Hau, now says that Hau's wife had threatened to kill herself because of his unfaithfulness and not because of the charge against him of killing her mother.

Four persons were killed and thirty injured Saturday afternoon, when a St. Louis and San Francisco passenger train and an east-bound passenger train, both loaded heavily, collided, near Salinas, Cal.

A review of the record of Parliament, which will be prorogued Wednesday, shows that while much useful legislation was accomplished some of the principal bills mentioned in the king's speech failed of passage.

A man answering in every detail the description of James Arthur Kemp, late property clerk of the District of Columbia police department, who absconded July 3, leaving a shortage estimated at \$7,500, has been captured at Logan, Va.

England is preparing for a complete overhauling of her forces in the far East. While there is no announcement to that effect, the step is generally regarded as the outcome of the United States' preparation to make great naval increases in the Pacific.

According to the desire of relatives to await the verdict in the second trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of her husband, Stanford White, Mrs. White, widow of the architect, has consented to postpone her contemplated marriage to Charles F. McKim, her former husband's partner.

Chief Judge Ira P. Bowen, of the Orphans' Court of Worcester county, Md., sentenced yesterday a morning passenger train at Berlin Saturday as a result of the accident, both of his legs were amputated at the Peninsula General Hospital, in Salisbury, Saturday afternoon.

Four small children of Jacob Heinrich, of Chicago, disappeared, from a home while playing, and for 24 hours no trace of them has been found. Neighbors have made a systematic search and have come to the conclusion that the little ones were taken away by a band of gypsies.

Mrs. J. E. Shoemaker, wife of J. E. Shoemaker, on Saturday evening lost \$1,000 worth of diamond rings which she left in a retiring room at the New Willard Hotel in Washington. Last night Mr. Shoemaker reported to the police that the rings were found by a young lady friend of his wife and had been returned.

While coming into Baltimore harbor at midnight, last night, with a cargo of bananas from Port Antonio, Jamaica, the big fruit steamer Barnstable, of the United Fruit Company, collided with the tug Gerry, sinking the little craft and drowning five of her crew. The collision occurred off Sparrow's Point at 11:35.

The schooner Elvira Ball, the largest and only five-masted single-deck schooner on the Atlantic coast was launched at Mystic, Conn., Saturday. The schooner is fully rigged and will go into commission immediately. The schooner is 245 feet in length over all; 40 feet beam, and will carry 1,300 tons of coal or a million feet of lumber.

The battleship Tennessee, third of the Dreadnought class, was launched at Devonport, England, Saturday. The new battleship, which was laid down at the close of last year, is in a forward state. She will cost considerably over \$5,000,000, exclusive of her armament, and is the fifth Tennessee to be possessed by the British navy.

When she discovered letters in her missing husband's trunk in their home, at Bristol, Tenn., yesterday, Mrs. Bruce E. Lady, the wife of a former letter carrier of Bristol, was made aware that Lady had stolen to Chicago with Miss Annie Phillips, a trained nurse, who had been occupying a room at the Lady home.

W. Waldo Merrill, a prominent banker of Boston, and a member of the Boston Stock Exchange, and Eric Sandstrom, chauffeur, were instantly killed in a motor wreck at South Ferry, about five miles north of Narragansett Pier, yesterday. Four other persons, including Mrs. Merrill, were in the car at the time, but they escaped with minor injuries.

Coming home unexpectedly about 9 o'clock last night and finding his wife sitting on the front doorstep with another man, William R. Larimore, 421 Lombard street, extended Baltimore, entered the house from the rear and, walking stealthily to the front room, fired both barrels of No. 4 shot from a shotgun into the back of his wife's companion, O. P. Duker, of Manassasville, Md.

Frederick Wilkins and his wife, both prominent in society, have signed an agreement of separation, which will be filed in the Baltimore county court today. A year ago Wilkins caused a sensation by shooting his wife at their country home near Parkton. Mr. Wilkins is a son of George C. Wilkins, formerly general agent at Baltimore of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Mary Adelaide Yerkes-Mizner is free to marry again should she desire to do so. Justice Guy, of New York, Saturday, signed the final decree divorcing her from Wilson Mizner. She was married to Mizner shortly after the death of her husband, Charles T. Yerkes, the street railway magnate, and within a few months sued Mizner for an absolute divorce. She charged him with improper conduct with a woman whose name was never disclosed.

While the United States has been secretly negotiating with the Whitehead Torpedo Company of England for the purchase of 50 of the newest and most approved English torpedoes, Japan has stepped in and bought 1,000 of the weapons at an expense of \$5,000,000. The torpedoes were purchased by the Japanese at \$5,000 each immediately after the first negotiations of the United States government. It is believed the enormous purchase by the Japanese practically takes the Whitehead torpedoes from the market for some time.

The report that the Rev. R. A. Boyce had married Miss Williams, formerly his leading contralto in a Pittsburgh church, caused much comment there yesterday, especially among members of the fashionable First Presbyterian congregation, where Boyce, the ex-Landlord, had served several years as assistant pastor. It was learned also that the Rev. Maidland Alexander, pastor of the church, had forced Boyce from the ministry. Mrs. Nellie Boyce, the first wife of Boyce, says the marriage of Mr. Boyce and Miss Williams does not surprise her.

There were three explosions at the Du Pont de Nemours powder works at Sobriante, Cal., on the bay shore, sixteen miles north of Berkeley, Saturday. Two persons were killed and many injured. The shocks of the explosions were felt in the cities all around the bay. When the 3,000 employees of the California Fruit Cannery Association, who work in the big establishment of the company on Van Ness avenue, in that city, felt the shocks, they believed there was an earthquake and rushed into the streets. During the stampede a number of persons were thrown down and trampled upon.

Miss Agnes Maguire a school teacher of Brooklyn, and her cousin, Chas. Maguire, of Dover, N. J., were riding in a buggy along the shore of Lake Hopatong Saturday night, when they were overtaken by a violent thunderstorm. They hurried to the site of a cottage known as "Camp Look Who's Here," and the young man left his cousin alone behind the storm flaps of the buggy while he hurried into the cottage to get a suit case. When he returned, finding Miss Maguire missing, he was not in the buggy and has not since been seen. The fact that no trace of the missing woman has been found has given rise to a belief among many of the searchers that she has been kidnapped.

Charles Dalby was rescued today after clinging all night to an overturned dory off Mont Beach, near North Beach, Mass. August Olson, who was with him when the dory upset, and drowned. They were fishing last night and upset the boat in attempting to exchange places.

**Virginia News.**

James W. Ritter, a well-known Confederate war hero, died yesterday at his home, near Winchester, after a brief illness, aged 87 years.

Mrs. Peyton, widow of Col. Thomas Green Peyton, of Richmond, died Friday night at the home of her son-in-law, Right Rev. W. L. Gravatt, D. D., at Charlottesville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Newton Laws, of Front Royal, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Georgia Kerloot, to the Rev. Lacy Milton Ritter, of Blacksburg. The marriage will occur early in September.

Trinity Lutheran Church, at Stephen's City, Frederick county, will hold a cost of \$10,000, was formally dedicated yesterday afternoon. Rev. D. A. J. Moorehead, president of Rosnoke College, Salem, delivered the dedicatory sermon.

Rev. W. H. Darbie, pastor of Beckford parish, consisting of the Episcopal churches at Woodstock and Mount Jackson, has tendered his resignation, to take effect September 1. He has accepted a call to St. Anne's parish in Albemarle county.

Virginia coal production for the year ending December 31, 1906, was 4,254,879 short tons, of the value of \$4,183,991 at the mines. Virginia was the only State of importance in coal production east of the Mississippi whose production was less last year than in 1905. The decrease, however, was unimportant, amounting to 20,392 short tons only.

The Amherst and Nelson county primaries on Saturday, Aug. 25, were held at Amherst. Judge W. G. Lovins presided over the election, which was held at the home of the Estes family, gave Allen a majority of only twenty-five votes.

**Rising from the Grave.**

A prominent manufacturer, Wm. A. Pettit, of Lucama, N. C., relates a most remarkable experience. He says: "After taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, and the Electric Bitters has cured me. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped my back and bladder complications which have been troubling me for years. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price only 65c."

**Today's Telegraphic News.**

**Wright's Sentence Commuted.**

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Aug. 26.—Governor Swanson today commuted to life imprisonment in the penitentiary the death sentence imposed on Joseph Thomas Wright, convicted of criminal assault on Miss Mable Risley, who was in company with Forest Gooding her fiancé. At the time Gooding was first attacked and driven away. Sometimes after the assault Gooding and Miss Risley were married.

**Will Plead the Unwritten Law.**

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Confessing that he killed Eusebio Ferreo, because he told her husband that she was an unfaithful wife, and because he plea upon the "unwritten law," Mrs. Angela Coniglio, Chicago's Josephine Terranova, today prepared for defending herself against the charge of murder. Coniglio and his young bride came from Italy only a year ago. They settled in the Italian quarter of Gault court. Several weeks ago Coniglio went home and told his wife that Ferreo had boasted in a saloon that he had wronged Mrs. Coniglio. According to the prisoner's story, the latter, Coniglio told her that she should tell the truth in her denials, she must kill Ferreo or he would kill her. Mrs. Coniglio says for two weeks, she sought the chance to slay her detractor before she succeeded in her design.

**Prize Wilhelm.**

Providence, R. I., Aug. 26.—Prince Wilhelm of Sweden, who spent the night at the Hope Club, at the guest of T. F. L. McDonald, left today for Worcester and Boston. He is expected back here Tuesday night, and later in the week, it was announced, he will make an extended trip through the West, stopping at Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Chicago. The Prince left hospitable Newport yesterday evening and went with United States Senator Aldrich in the latter's yacht to his home at Warwick Neck. There he was entertained informally at supper and then he planted a tree beside one set out some years ago by President Roosevelt, when he was Senator Aldrich's guest. He left Warwick Neck late and did not reach the Hope Club until after midnight.

**Affairs at Oyster Bay.**

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 26.—The statement was made at the executive offices today that no steps have been taken by the President toward interfering in the telegraph strike. He has made no appointments with any of the telegraphers. "We have not heard a word from President Small or any one else connected with the union," was Secretary Lobb's comment.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 26.—President Roosevelt's true hunting program is under discussion at Sagamore Hill today. Herbert Knox Smith, Chief of the Bureau of Corporations, arrived at noon to talk over affairs connected with the various investigations being pushed by the Bureau.

**Missing Chorus Girl.**

New York, Aug. 26.—A general alarm was sent out to the police today to search for Fanny Bradshaw, 17-year old chorus girl, who disappeared between dances from Wallack's Theatre, Saturday, where she was appearing in "The Time, the Place, and the Girl." She did a dancing "stunt" in the first act Saturday afternoon, and hurried to her dressing room. When it was time for her to go on again, she could not be found. It was learned then from a man at the stage door that a well dressed woman drove up to the theatre in a big motor car and that the girl embraced her. The girl then got into the car which whirled away. Every effort to get further trace of the girl has failed.

**Murders and Robberies in Chicago.**

Chicago, Aug. 26.—Despite activity of the police, mysterious robberies and murders continue in Chicago, and at daylight today an unidentified man with his throat cut from ear to ear was found dead in an alley. About the same time, the police arrested, in another part of the city, a youth aged about 18, who gave his name as William Knight, and who had in his possession a blood stained card and 53 checks representing in the aggregate \$49,657. Two of the checks were for \$10,000 each and were drawn upon the Third National Bank of Baltimore. The prisoner said his home was in Omaha, Nebraska.

**Stabbed Six Men.**

New York, Aug. 26.—Jealous rage because another man danced with his sweetheart is said to have induced Conrad Murz, aged 21, to stab six men early today, in New York City. Joseph Bender asked the girl to dance with him and she accepted. As the music started and they stepped forth, it is alleged that Murz drew a long heavy sheath knife and attacked Bender. In the riot, it is charged, that Murz slashed right and left cutting his way to the door by which he escaped. He was captured by a policeman who had to club him into submission.

**Little Girls' Body Mutilated.**

New York, Aug. 26.—Although the entire police force of Bernardsville, N. J., and scores of detectives employed on the case have been working for nearly two days, no clue has yet been found to the girl who was murdered in the basement of a house at 141 Little Margaret Kulewicz, and mutilated her body. Margaret was killed Aug. 14 in an automobile accident. With a sharp instrument a circular cut was made in the body and the vital organs removed. The body had been trampled back into the casket.

**Freight Trains Collide.**

Portsmouth, O., Aug. 26.—Two Norfolk and Western freight train, one a double header, collided in dense fog just west of Karden, early today. The three engines were wrecked and many cars dinged. Conductor Robert Gilmore of this city, and E. J. C. Purdy, of Sardis, were instantly killed. Their bodies are still under the wrecked engines.

**LET IT? TO PROF BLACKFORD.**

Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Sir: Here's another pro-tem for those arithmetic and algebra scholars: If \$100 is worth \$1.75 a gallon, and spreads a half further than average paint, and wears twice as long, what's average paint worth a gallon put on, painters' wages being \$3.50 a day and a day's work a gallon of paint. The answer is mine \$1.75 a gallon. That is, you could afford to paint with average paint if somebody gives it to you and pays half the painters' wages.

Yours truly,  
F. W. DEVOE & CO.  
P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

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## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:23 a. m. and sets at 6:40 p. m. High water at 10:49 a. m. and 11:13 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For tonight, Tuesday increasing cloudiness.

## SENTENCE COMMUTED.

Governor Swanson today commuted the sentence of Joseph Thomas, alias John Wright, colored, who had been sentenced to be hanged, to imprisonment for life. Nearly a year ago Wright was arrested on a charge preferred by Miss Mabel Rieley, she alleging that the negro had assaulted her near Luna Park. Wright attempted to establish an alibi, but his efforts were futile, and a jury of the Circuit Court for the county declared him guilty as indicted. Mr. James E. Clements, his counsel, has been untiring in his defense, and ever since Wright was sentenced to be hanged he has worked assiduously to have the death penalty set aside. He succeeded in securing an arrest of judgment and has finally succeeded in inducing the Governor to commute the sentence. The commutation of the sentence of the county believes Wright guilty of the assault and that he should hang; or if he is not guilty as indicated he should be set free. Wright received the information of the commutation of his sentence with much satisfaction.

## BOY SHOT.

Considerable excitement was caused near the corner of Prince and Union streets about noon yesterday by the shooting of Elmer Violett, a fifteen-year-old youth, living at No. 121 Prince street, by George Nalls, Jr., a boy one year older, who lives at No. 707 South Lee street. The weapon used was a cat rifle and from the evidence in the case it seems that young Nalls' act was not malicious. The latter was walking on Union street when Violett with some other boys accosted him in a spirit of boyish playfulness, and finally remarked, "Here's a leave fire away; you are no good, anyhow" and after some further inter change of words held up his hand as a target. Nalls, according to his statement, directed the gun with no intention of hitting Violett, who was some distance away, supposing the bullet would strike a house on the opposite side of the street, but Violett, unfortunately, ran in an opposite direction from that Nalls supposed he would take, and, in Nalls' own words, "ran into the bullet." The ball, which was of a .22 caliber, entered Violett's breast, near the neck, making a serious and dangerous wound, and he sank to the ground with a groan. As soon as the report of the shooting became circulated people ran from every direction, among whom were many anxious parents of children who were on the streets, no one at first seeming to know who had been shot. In the meantime Violett was removed to the Alexandria hospital, where Dr. Walter A. Warfield and Dr. Samuel B. Moore attended his injuries. They have not been able to locate the bullet, and while the boy's condition is not critical, it is said that complications may arise. Chief floods, accompanied by Officers Henderson and Gill, went in different directions in search of Nalls after the report of the shooting had reached the station house. The boy had returned to his home where he was found and taken in custody. Later he was released in the sum of \$500 for his appearance before the Police Court this morning. Mr. John P. Robinson, who is employed in the office of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, the cat rifle which was used in the shooting, and Nalls is a son of Mr. George E. Nalls, an engineer in the employ of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company, who lives at 705 South Lee street. Young Nalls is employed in the office of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company. The cat rifle which was used in the shooting was purchased from the factory for 75 cents. Many of these rifles, are owned by boys who are constantly shooting at sparrows or carrying weapons among their companions. The above occurrence should be a sufficient warning to the parents of children owning cat rifles or pistols and the police in the meantime should use diligence in confiscating all such dangerous playthings.

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning: Jackson Madison, colored, charged with housebreaking, was held for the action of the Fairfax authorities. Jos. Carroll, colored, charged with assaulting Lizzie Thompson, was fined \$5. James Lucas, charged with assaulting Henry Ale, was fined \$5. Four colored men, charged with gambling, were fined \$2 each. George Nalls, charged with shooting Elmer Violett, had his case continued. Six white boys, charged with swimming in the docks, were dismissed with a warning. Charles Arrington, charged with being drunk on the street, was dismissed with an admonition. Nan Lucas, charged with stealing clothing from Roberta Smith, was dismissed, the plaintiff failing to appear.

## REPORTED ROBBERY.

Conductor Peck of the Southern Railway notified the station house this morning that a buggy was overturned near Clifton yesterday and the occupants—two brothers—were thrown out and robbed of \$75 in money and about \$1,400 worth of diamonds. The men, the conductor said, appeared to be under the influence of liquor. The message was sent by telephone, and the conductor failed to state whether the buggy was struck by the train, or was overturned by robbers or accident.

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The republican convention will meet at Serepta Hall tomorrow at 1 o'clock p. m. The delegates will meet at the hall at 12 o'clock, an hour before the convention shall have been called to order.

## TRAIN DERAILLED.

Train No. 34, of the Southern Railway north bound, running at a moderate rate of speed, was derailed at Red Hill, about 8 miles south of Charlottesville, at 4:06 a. m. today. The train turned over except engine and tender. No one was killed and no one seriously injured. Approximately twenty-one people were very slightly injured, and these twenty-one proceeded on their journey, a train having been promptly made up at Charlottesville, near the scene of the trouble, and this train proceeded to Washington. The cause of the trouble was a broken rail. A wrecking train was sent from this city as soon as the news of the accident was received.

The following is a list of injured passengers: V. W. Duval, mail clerk, Hyattsville, Md., arm, hand and back hurt; J. N. Rosenblatt, Greensboro, N. C., bruised and contused wounds on arms; H. C. Colter, 220 West 124th street, New York, body bruised and arm hurt; D. S. Rothrock, Winston-Salem, N. C., arm contused and body bruised; Ellen H. Cotton, colored, 19 Burleigh street, Cambridge, Mass., arms and body contused; Sydney Friedman, Rock Hill, S. C., foot hurt; Frido Battley, Rock Hill, S. C., arms hurt; R. N. Sturgis, Rock Hill, S. C., arm and body bruised; Sam Goodman, Salisbury, N. C., hands and arms hurt; Harry Goodman, Salisbury, N. C., body bruised; G. C. Miller, expressman, Columbia, S. C., body bruised and arms hurt; G. C. Richards, expressman, Greensboro, N. C., head and arms hurt; R. L. Holland, colored, 628 8th street N. E., Washington, D. C., arms and body bruised; W. D. Crow, Joylin, Va., back sprained; Calvin Cowan, colored, Salisbury, N. C., eye cut and head bruised, employee; R. A. Fox, Greenwood, Va., hand and arms hurt; E. C. Upson, Whitney, N. C., arms and body bruised; Daniel Kerr, 115 Foster street, Nashville, Tenn., arms and body bruised; R. B. Spitzer, Winchester, Va., shoulder hurt; W. B. Colley, Spencer, N. C., leg hurt; Mrs. Nellie Colley, Spencer, N. C., arm hurt; H. Morton, 100 Ashford street, Brooklyn, N. Y., hand hurt; John A. Boyer, mail clerk, Keelworth, D. C., body hurt and side bruised; R. E. Flynn, mail clerk, arms hurt; A. Bullock, Greenwood, Va., arms and body bruised and contused, very nervous. All of the above were able to walk without assistance except Mr. Duval. Conductor Loving had his leg and side hurt. Porter Wm. Taylor, chest hurt. Pullman Porter Richard Sweeney, Jersey City, chest hurt.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. J. M. Johnson has returned from Atlantic City. He left Mrs. Johnson there with their daughter, Miss Marion, who is still quite sick. Miss Constance Boush is at Orkney Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hill and their little son and Mrs. M. A. Wood have gone to visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Hill at their country place, "Venura," near Howardsville, Md. Miss Mary H. Lunt, of Alexandria, is a guest at the Inside Inn, Jamestown Exposition grounds. Miss Lee Schaefer, has returned home from Leesburg, from visiting her aunt, Mr. E. E. Downham, has returned from a visit to Saratoga Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rollin, of Altoona, Pa., were visiting Miss Effie Nash last week, at her home on north Patrick street. Mrs. Edward S. Fawcett and Mr. Laurence Fawcett are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cheeseman at Scranton. A letter from Colonel Beach says the power yacht, "Joe Starn", is in port, with Messrs. Joe Starn, and William Wilburn of Alexandria, aboard. Mrs. Fred C. Matthews, of Alexandria, and her daughter, Miss Blanche Matthews, are at the beach for the heated term. Miss Eva Kent and Miss Mary Dent are the guests of Miss Greta McCoy, at her home in Riverton. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibson are at Sweet Chalybeate Springs. Mrs. Charles C. Caplin and children have returned from Mount Elliott, where they spent several weeks. Councilman and Mrs. Henry Bader have gone to Philadelphia to attend the funeral of Charles Miller, Mrs. Bader's brother-in-law, whose death occurred at Atlantic City Friday.

Mr. J. D. Normoyle left today for a week's visit to Atlantic City. Capt. J. B. Drew and family have returned from Colonial Beach. Miss Nellie Dean has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in St. Mary's county.

Reports from Atlantic City state that Mr. C. R. Hood, who fractured his leg there, is improving.

Miss Madeline Byrne is visiting relatives in Richmond. She will also visit the Jamestown Exposition.

Mrs. W. A. Smoot, Jr., is at Woodbury Forest for a few weeks.

Miss E. H. Tucker, of Baltimore, is visiting Mr. George R. Hill, on south Washington street.

Mrs. E. A. Proctor, accompanied by Misses Ada B. Ticer and Effie Smith, left yesterday for Philadelphia, New York and Coney Island. The party will be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Tupper, of Washington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Edith, to Mr. Harold J. Gaul, of Vega Alta, Porto Rico. The wedding will take place in September.

Miss Tupper is a popular young lady and has a number of friends in Alexandria.

Mr. John Proctor has returned from a visit to Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald H. Taylor, of Baltimore, who were recently married, left last night for New York and sailed today for an extended trip abroad.

Mrs. M. C. Broadus and Miss Eubie L. Broadus have returned from a pleasant visit to the country.

The family of Mr. E. H. Dawson have returned from Broad Run, where they spent the summer.

Messrs. R. M. Latham, John E. Clapdore, Joseph DeSilva, Thomas Waddy and Harry Downham will leave here tomorrow to attend the Freeman's convention and the Jamestown Exposition.

THE ROCKVILLE FAIR. Mention has heretofore been made of the big Montgomery County Fair to be held at Rockville, Md., on Wednesday and closing on Saturday of this week. Governor Warfield and the nominees on the State ticket have accepted invitations to be present on Thursday and will make addresses on that day.

## CAMP MEETING ECHOES.

People from this city who attended the camp meeting at Franconia, Fairfax county, yesterday say a fight occurred during the day between some Alexandria and Fairfaxians.

An automobile frightened a horse attached to a carriage belonging to a gentleman of this city while returning from the camp meeting, but the occupants alighted from the vehicle in time to escape injuries.

## DEATH OF MRS. ROTCHFORD.

Mrs. Mary J. Rotchford, widow of Richard Rotchford, died at her residence, No. 1009 Quepu street, this morning. The deceased was in the 78th year of her age. Mrs. Rotchford leaves two daughters, Misses Edith and Blanche. She was a daughter of the late Thomas and Elizabeth Wadley. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon.

## COLORED MAN KILLED.

Northbound passenger train No. 16 on the Southern Railway struck and killed a colored man between Bristow and Nokesville shortly before 7 o'clock this morning. The man was walking on the track when the train struck him. His name could not be learned. The remains were taken to Manassas, where they await identification.

## PLEASANT SUNDAY.

The weather yesterday was clear and pleasant. Storms in neighboring States Saturday night lowered the temperature in this city and vicinity, and a refreshing northwest breeze prevailed throughout the day.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Claude G. Lennon has secured the services of a registered pharmacist.

Three monitors from the Washington navy yard passed down the river yesterday morning.

Mr. John Clapdore has sold to Mr. W. A. Moore the house on the north side of Prince street, just west of Royal.

Company G, 70th Virginia Regiment, Alexandria Light Infantry, will be inspected at Armory Hall Tuesday, September 24.

Thieves Saturday night invaded the premises of Mr. E. J. Butler, on Payne street, between Wolfe and Wilkes, and stole several chickens, some salted fish &c.

An electric car was derailed near the intersection of Prince and Royal streets at an early hour this morning which interfered for some time with the running of trains.

The remains of Mrs. Catherine Williams, whose death occurred Friday night at the Alexandria Hospital were forwarded to Quantico yesterday, her former home, for interment.

Mrs. Anna C. White, wife of Bartholomew C. White, yesterday positively identified John Scott, a negro, 24 years old, as the man who robbed her as she was entering the Lincoln apartment house in Washington, Thursday night last.

In a trial contest of the best pool-players of the Young Men's Sociality Lyceum last week, Mr. J. W. B. Petty came out victorious, having defeated five of the Lyceum's leading players.

The Columbia and Reliance Fire Companies and the Relief Hook and Ladder Company will meet tonight to make final arrangements for the departure of delegations of the organizations for Newport News tomorrow morning. They will return Saturday night.

It is understood that the case of Capt. Hickman of the tug Marguerite, who was arrested at Norfolk the 7th instant on a charge of leaving this port with a cargo of railroad ties against which several attachments were pending, will not be called for trial Wednesday next, as announced, a settlement of the matter, it is said, having been made.

Officers Ferguson, Garvey and Jones about 4 o'clock yesterday morning arrested four negroes charged with shooting craps on the steps of the Third Baptist Church (colored) at Princess and Patrick streets. The officers came suddenly upon the quartette while absorbed in an exciting game. The darkies were brought before Justice Oatman at the Police Court this morning and fined \$2 each.

Messrs. G. E. Price and J. F. Cook will have for sale at their stand in the fish market tomorrow a fine variety of salt and fresh water fish, fresh and good. Watermelons received fresh daily.

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FAIRFAX REPUBLICANS. The republicans of Fairfax county met in convention at Fairfax Saturday afternoon and elected delegates to the congressional convention to be held at Alexandria tomorrow when a candidate for Congress will be nominated.

E. L. S. Bouton was elected permanent chairman and E. L. Howe, permanent secretary.

The same delegates are authorized to act in the senatorial convention, which will be held here on the same day as the congressional convention.

The convention decided not to nominate a candidate for the legislature, but adopted a resolution endorsing James W. Roberts, of Mount Vernon, who has announced himself as a candidate against Walter P. Oliver, of Falls Church, the democratic nominee of the primaries.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ARLINGTON BREWING CO. will be held at the office of the company, Rosslyn, Va., on TUESDAY, September 10, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before said meeting.

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